

BULGARIA

The Bulgarian fleet in the IRC system in 2020 remained at the same level as the last three years - 20 boats. The type of boats in the cruiser racer class remained mainly within 35 to 42 feet, which are half of the fleet including boats as : X-41, Italia 9.98, Grand Soleil 42R, Bavaria 42 Match, Xc - 42, FIRST 40.7, FAURBY 396 JBE 2.50, MELGES 32.

The racing season officially began relatively late after the beginning of July, when the ban on organizing regattas due to COVID-19 was lifted by the government. This is one of the reasons why 6-7 yachts with certificates from recent years will not be launched and ask for certificates.

Officially, 5 regattas were held in Bulgarian waters until the middle of September, including the national championship, practically with the participation of the majority of the fleet in IRC and ORC Club.

In the period after the end of September some of the IRC boats continue to participate in regattas Turkey - Bosphorus cup - 5 yachts, Marmaris sailing week - 4 yachts.

Due to the complete ban on the organizing of regattas in Romania, part of the regattas that were joint between the Bulgarian and Romanian sailing federations were canceled, thus shortening the calendar.

The planning of the regattas for 2020 ends at the end of November, as accurate information about the regatta for 2021 can be obtained from the website of the Bulgarian Sailing Federation - http://www.bulsaf.bg/?lang=bg_BG

For now, the traditional regattas are known as:

1. Port Burgas Race - first week of August 2020

The regatta is in three days and includes stages of races in the Burgas Bay with an average sailing between 30-40 miles per day.

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2. Cor Caroli Regatta - August 12-15, 2021

The regatta is traditional and includes three stages along the entire Bulgarian coast with a daily distance of 30-50 miles.

<https://corcaroli.bg/>

2. National Championship - second week September 2021

The regatta includes two days of windward-leeward races and one day of sea racing

40-50 miles.

http://www.bulsaf.bg/?tribe_events_cat=bg&lang=bg_BG

Usually in this type of regatta participate about 35 Bulgarian boats and Romanian and Ukrainian in classes IRC, ORC Club, BHS and Konrad 25R.

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Bulgarian National Flag



The logo of yacht club "Pontos" Varna





International Regatta Port of Burgas 2020.



Regatta Cor Caroli 2020



Regatta Balchik 2020



Regatta Bulgarian National Championship